

FISCAL NOTE

SB 1744 - HB 1861

March 26, 2003

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires that the juvenile court and the law enforcement agency prepare a summary of the juvenile court file and record and law enforcement file and record and provide this summary to the parent, guardian, or other custodian of a juvenile, including the Department of Children's Services, for any juvenile who is 14 years or more of age and who has been adjudicated for an offense, if committed by an adult, would constitute first degree murder, second degree murder, rape, aggravated rape, aggravated robbery, especially aggravated robbery, kidnapping, aggravated kidnapping, especially aggravated kidnapping, aggravated assault, or felony reckless endangerment. The summary of files and records shall be presented to the school principal when a student initially enrolls in a LEA, resumes school attendance after suspension, expulsion or adjudication of delinquency. Current law (TCA 49-6-3051) provides that the parent or guardian shall notify, in writing, the school principal of the offense if adjudicated for any of the specified offense.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Less than \$100,000

Estimate assumes additional staffing or staff time for the juvenile courts of the large and medium size counties to prepare summaries of the juvenile court files for juveniles adjudicated for the specified offenses. Also, summaries of law enforcement records will be required under the provisions of the bill. This estimate is based upon a minimum of 1,300 cases concentrated in urban counties.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



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